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Docket No. 213202.00305

In re Application of:

JAMES W. ELLIS, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/882,297

Filed: June 18, 2001

For: OPTICAL RADIATION SENSOR

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MEASURING RADIATION

TRANSMITTANCE OF A FLUID

Examiner: Otilia Gabor

Group Art Unit: 2878

Date: April 30, 2004

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 20	MINUS	** 39	. 0	x \$9 \$18	\$00.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 3	MINUS	***	= 0	x \$42 \$84	\$00.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$135°/\$270						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT—					\$00.00	

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X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1710. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
X	Charge \$\frac{475.00}{2}\$ to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 to cover the fee for a _3_ month extension of time. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.
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X	Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 625-3507. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.
	Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Official Action mailed November 5, 2003 to May 5, 2004. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-1710 \$475.00 for payment of the extension fee. Any additional fee required should be charged to and any overpayments should be credited to Deposit Account No. 50-1710.

In response to the November 5, 2003 Office Action, please enter the following amendments.

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